

# PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES FORM

**Agency Name:** Idaho Public Utilities Commission **STARS Agency Code:** 900

**Contact Person:** Beverly Barker **Phone Number:** 334-0302

**IDAPA Numbers and Chapter Name:** 31.21.01 – Utility Customer Relations Rules

**This Rule is:**  X  Proposed   Temporary Effective Date:  January 1, 2003

### If Temporary Rule:

\_\_\_\_\_ Protection of the public health, safety, or welfare; or

\_\_\_\_\_ Compliance with deadlines in amendments to governing law or federal programs; or

\_\_\_\_\_ Conferring a benefit.

If this is a temporary rule which imposes a fee or charge, provide justification as described in Idaho Code, Section 67-5226(2):

NA

Need for Proposed Rulemaking: Remove obsolete or unnecessary references, clarify existing policies, and update credit policies that apply to customers of regulated public utilities.

**Proposed Rules Changes (Summary Only):** Adds conditions under which utilities may request a deposit, removes restrictions applying to the use of commercial credit records, increases the maximum deposit amount for gas space heating customers, and revises the timeframe during which utilities may terminate service.

Interest Group(s) or Citizens Affected: Regulated public utilities and their customers

Estimated Costs for Rulemaking (Publication and Operation Costs): \$180

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**DFM Analyst Comments:**

**Received Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Review Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Internal Admin. Rule No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DFM Analyst Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_

**Special Assistant Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_